

Public Information and Stakeholder Involvement Coordination and Meeting Plan for 2012-2014





DATE	CITY	MEETING 1: Arkansas Water Plan Update Kickoff Meetings
November 13 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.	Pauline Whitaker Arena-Fayetteville	 Overview of the Arkansas Water Plan Update process Identify important studies, water management issues and concerns
November 15 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.	ASU Convocation Center-Jonesboro	Obtain input on draft vision and goals for the Arkansas Water Plan Update Finalize and implement public information and
November 27 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.	AR Department of Health Auditorium- Little Rock	stakeholder involvement and communication process
November 29 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Conference Center- El Dorado	
DATE	CITY	MEETING 2: Existing and Future Water Use/Needs Forecasting
May/June 2013 Dates TBD	Little Rock Springdale	Present initial summaries of key existing studies and regional "profile" of the area including major water uses, physical and environmental resources, social and
	Stuttgart	economic considerations Refine vision and goals Present methodology and initial information on existing uses, and current and future demand forecasting methodology Discuss initial approach to quantify water quantity and
	McGehee	
	El Dorado	
	Texarkana	quality Begin identification of infrastructure, funding, and policy
	Mountain Home	needs
DATE	CITY	MEETING 3: Quantifying Available Water Supplies to Meet Existing and Future Water Use/Needs
October/November 2013	Fort Smith	 Present final existing and future water use/needs forecasts
Dates TBD	Pine Bluff	Refine vision and goals Present initial information on quantification of water
	Forest City	quantity and quality Continue identification of infrastructure, funding, and
	Jonesboro	policy needs
	Arkadelphia	 Present initial findings regarding identified shortfalls between available water resources and forecasted needs
	Magnolia	 Identify preliminary potential solutions and recommendations to address water resource shortfalls
	Harrison	
DATE	CITY	MEETING 4: Development of Water Resource Solutions and Recommendations
February/March	Little Rock	Finalize quantification of water quantity and quality Finalize draft potential solutions and recommendations to
2014 Dates TBD	Fayetteville Jonesboro	address water resource shortfalls
	Stuttgart	Finalize vision and goals
	Camden	Continue identification of infrastructure, funding, and
	Texarkana	policy needs Discuss next steps for finalizing the Arkansas Water Plan
	Batesville or Mountain Home or Mountain View	Update and November 2014 Rulemaking